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Madrid, February 26, N. S.

ON the 13th Inſtant their Catholick Majeſties with the Prince of Aſturias and the Infantes came from the Pardo to the Palace here; and the ſame Day the Infante Don Carlos was taken ill, which Indiſpoſition proving to be the Meaſles, their Catholick Majeſties, with the Prince and the reſt of the Infantes, left the Palace on the 15th, and went to that of the Buen-Retiro. The ſaid Infante Don Carlos is now ſo well recover'd, that he frequently goes abroad to take the Air. On the 21ſt a Courier from Paris brought the Marſhal de Teſſé his Recredentials, upon which he deſigns to take his Audience of Leave of their Catholick Majeſties in a few Days, in order to ſet out the 9th of the next Month for France. His Catholick Majeſty has honoured the ſaid Marſhal with the Order of the Golden Fleece, into which he will be received To Morrow with the uſual Ceremonies. The ſame Courier brought Orders to the Abbot de Livry to remain here, for managing the Affairs of France, but not to take upon him any publick Character yet. His Catholick Majeſty has appointed the Admiral Marqueſs de Mari to command the Squadron conſiſting of ſix Ships of War, which are to cruize this enſuing Summer in the Mediterranean.

Turin, March 7, N. S. It is adviſed from Vienna, that Count Harrach is named to reſide at this Court as Envoy from the Emperour, and that he will ſet out in the Spring to come hither. His Sardinian Majeſty has been pleaſed to beſtow on the Son of the Count de Sales, all his Father's Eſtate which was confiſcated, and intends to ſend him to the Court of Lorrain to be educated there; but the Commanderie in the Order of St. Maurice, which brought in a conſiderable Revenue to that Family, cannot be given away, by reaſon of the Count de Sales's Abſence, certain Forms of that Order requiring that the Perſon degraded ſhould be preſent. This being the Duke d'Aouſte's Birth-Day, the Court was very numerous; and all the Miniſters, with the Nobility, went to his Highneſs's Apartment.

Whitehall, March 8.

On Saturday laſt the Lords and Gentlemen Stewards of the Society of ancient Britons, eſtabliſhed in Honour to the Birth-Day of Her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs and the Principality of Wales, had the Honour to wait on His Majeſty, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord Lonſdale, Lord of the Bedchamber in Waiting, to pay their Duty and moſt humble Acknowledgment for the great Honour His Majeſty was pleaſed to do them in Favour of the Day; which His Majeſty received very graciouſly, and all preſent had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand; and as a Mark of His Royal Grace and Favour to ſo loyal and laudable an Undertaking, His Majeſty conferred the Honour of Knighthood on Thomas Maſters, Eſq; one of the ſaid Stewards.

Whitehall, March 6, 1724-5.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners for the Cuſtody of the Great Seal of Great Britain, having ordered the Accompts of the ſeveral Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, of the Securities, Effects, and Caſh, belonging to the Suitors of that Court, depoſited in their reſpective Hands, to be Printed and Publiſhed, for the Information of the ſaid Suitors; His Majeſty has been graciouſly pleaſed to direct, that the ſaid printed Accompts ſhall this preſent Saturday the 6th of March, be ſent from the General Poſt-Office, to the Poſt-Houſes of all the Poſt-Towns of England and Wales, that they may be peruſed Gratis by all Perſons who ſhall repair to thoſe Poſt-Houſes for that Purpoſe. His Majeſty has alſo been graciouſly pleaſed to order, that the ſaid printed Accompts ſhall be delivered to the Six Clerks, and to the four Regiſters, of the High Court of Chancery; to lie open in their reſpective Offices for the Inſpection of the aforeſaid Suitors, or their Sollicitors.

TOWNSHEND.

Whitehall, Feb. 3, 1724.

Whereas His Majeſty's Exchequer was broke open between Monday Noon and this Morning, and a conſiderable Sum of Money was taken out of the Office of the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet: This is to give Notice, That if any Perſon concerned in the ſaid Felony, or being any ways privy thereto, by adviſing or contriving the ſame, will ſurrender himſelf and make a free Diſcovery of his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as they or any one of them ſhall be apprehended and convicted for the ſame, ſuch Perſon, whether concerned in the ſaid Felony, or in adviſing, contriving or being privy thereto, ſhall have His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon; and as a further Encouragement ſhall have a Reward of One Thouſand Pounds, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury. And if any other Perſon or Perſons ſhall diſcover, apprehend, and convict any Perſon or Perſons concerned in the ſaid Felony, he or they ſhall receive the like Reward of One Thouſand Pounds, to be paid in like Manner.

TOWNSHEND.

Whereas the Perſons who broke open the Exchequer, left behind them a new ſmall Gimblet, marked I B. *upon the Handle, a Butcher's Hook with a little Notch upon the End of the flat Part, a ſmall Cord, a ruſty Tin Pot whited within, in which are ſome Pieces of Touchwood, and an old pointed Knife with a rough Back, as if uſed to ſtrike Fire with, in a black Leather Caſe, having a Cork for an Handle: Any Perſon or Perſons who lately ſold ſuch Things, or can give Account to whom they belong, are deſired to come to Lord William Powlett's Office at the Exchequer, and view the ſame, and if they ſhall thereby diſcover, or contribute to the Diſcovery of the Perſon or Perſons to whom they were ſold, or do belong, ſhall have Ten Guineas Reward, to be paid by me* John Grainger.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be holden at the Eaſt-India Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, London, on Wedneſday the 24th of this Inſtant March, at Eleven in the Forenoon, the ſame being a Quarterly Court. And that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be holden at the ſame Place